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President Opposed To Fall Resolution

ALLIES MODIFY PROTOCOL

OBJECTIONABLE FEATURES ARE STRICKEN OUT

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Andrew Bonar Law, the government spokesman, declared in the house of commons today that there was little reason to doubt that the communications proceeding between the allied and associated powers and Germany with reference to the immediate ratification of the peace treaty would have a satisfactory issue.

PARIS, Dec. 8.—The allies have consented to modify some of the terms of the protocol putting the peace treaty into effect to which Germany has made objection. The clause providing for indemnity for the destruction of the German fleet at Scapa Flow has been modified so as to refer to The Hague tribunal the question whether the delivery of the tonnage demanded will satisfy Germany. It is understood. The understanding also is that the other features of the protocol most objectionable to the Germans have been eliminated. It is expected that the German plenipotentiaries will sign the protocol without much further delay. The final paragraph in the protocol providing that even after the peace treaty has gone into effect, the allies might use military measures of coercion to ensure the execution of the treaty's terms, has been eliminated entirely, as also has the clause relating to the evacuation of the Baltic provinces by German troops.

The imputation of responsibility to Germany for the sinking of the Scapa Flow fleet is left in the protocol. It is expected that note setting forth the allied position would be handed today to Baron von Lersner, head of the German mission.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Gustave Noske, German minister of defense, declares he will recommend that the German government refuse to sign the protocol of the peace treaty, no matter what the consequences may be, according to the Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail.

Noske was careful to say he was giving his personal views, but it is said his statement agreed with intentions attributed to other members of the German cabinet.

He charged that Great Britain and France were "deliberately planning the destruction of Germany," and that these governments "by deceit and bribery" were moulding public opinion in their countries preparatory to "stripping Germany beyond the crushing effects of the first treaty." He said he had "lost all confidence in the pledges of the allies."

Demands for dock and harbor material in reparation for the sinking of the interned German fleet at Scapa Flow and the provision of the protocol empowering the allies to enforce the terms of the peace treaty were asked by the German minister as the "two straws which have broken the back of German endurance."

The fact that failure by the United States to ratify the treaty may mean larger representations from the other allies on commissions established by the pact he said was a reason for Germany to refuse to sign the protocol.

"If the absence of United States representatives means there will be more



The young lady across the way says when it comes to politics her word is a regular Philadelphia oracle.

Ab! Adventurer To Fly To U. S.

FUME, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Captain Gabriele D'Annunzio plans to fly to the United States after the Fiume situation has been adjusted, he told the Associated Press today.

"I want to reach America on wings," he said. "I will fly to America across the Pacific and land on your fair Pacific coast. When my task in Fiume is done and when Fiume is a part of Italy's realm, I am going to Tokyo through the clouds. Then I will look across that vast expanse of the Pacific, lift myself from this earth and start toward your land, your free America, stepping from island to island. It is unfavorable weather now, but it will be favorable in February, and if Fiume is ours, I will do it then."

EDITOR AND AUTHOR DIES

LONDON, Dec. 8.—Announcement is made of the death of Sir Edwin Pears, editor and author, at Malta, on November 27.

HOPE FOR SETTLEMENT OF STRIKE TOMORROW

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Hope for the settlement tomorrow afternoon of the controversy between the miners, the operators and the government, was expressed in a formal statement issued today at the White House.

The statement follows:

"It is hoped that there will be a settlement on Tuesday afternoon of the controversy between the miners, the operators and the government through the acceptance by the miners of the plan for a definite settlement proposed by the president, which proposal was submitted to Acting President Lewis, of the miners, by Attorney General Palmer Saturday night."

The utmost secrecy still surrounded the president's proposal and Secretary Tumulty and other officials refused to supplement the White House statement. It was learned, however, that the proposal made to the miners was from the president himself and was in the form of a memorandum written by him.

In agreeing Saturday to urge upon the miners' representatives acceptance of the president's proposals, John L. Lewis, acting president of the mine workers, was said to have frankly informed Attorney General Palmer of the difficulties he is having in view of the feeling created among the miners by general attitude of the government.

Lewis was said to have expressed willingness to attempt to change this feeling if given assistance from responsible government officials in dealing with men.

Lewis and William Green, secretary of the miners' union at Indianapolis tomorrow will lay the president's proposals before the executive scale committees of the workers.

There were persistent reports today that the president's proposal was that the miners accept for the present the 14 percent wage advance proposed by Fuel Administrator Garfield and that the final adjustment of wages and working conditions be left to a commission to be appointed by the president.

Some assurances are said to have been given as to the personnel of the commission, the method of obtaining data which will be put before it and other points which are reported to have induced the miners to consider their prospects under it more favorable than they otherwise would be.

The senate labor committee deferred action on the resolution calling for congressional investigation of the coal strike as it did not desire to interfere in negotiations between the government and miners, which promise to end their strike. Chairman Kenyon said.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Hundreds of passenger trains were withdrawn from service on the railroads of the country today, mostly in the middle west, south and southwest, in accordance with instructions issued last week by the railroad administration and hundreds of other trains had been ordered annulled on next Wednesday, chiefly in the east, as a result of the coal miners' strike.

In New England alone orders were out cancelling nearly 300 trains on Wednesday. Dozens are to be discontinued in Pennsylvania and even Canadian railroads have felt the coal shortage to such an extent that 35 additional passenger trains were taken off, including the crack transcontinental limited of the Canadian Pacific.

The reduction of passenger service in the United States since the strike began, November 1, amounts to approximately one-third of the total, and in Canada a saving of 324,000 train miles per month has been effected.

Many hundred thousand workers were idle today on account of closing of non-essential industries from which coal has been withheld by regional committees and the curtailment of business hours in many cities.

NO DECISION ON WAR TIME PROHIBITION

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—No decision on the constitutionality of the war time prohibition and the Volstead enforcement act was rendered today by the supreme court and there was no indication when a decision would be handed down.

Arguments on the constitutionality of the acts were advanced by the court at the request of the government and the decision had been expected generally when the court reconvened today after a recess of two weeks. As Monday is the regular opinion day of the court, a decision is not to be expected before next Monday, if then.

The cases on which the constitutionality of the war time act was attacked, were from Kentucky and New York, while that on which the validity of the enforcement act was contested reached the supreme court from New York.

Arguments in appeals from Baltimore and New Orleans involving the right to manufacture beer containing 2.75 percent alcohol are to be heard by the court this week.

PEACE-TIME ARMY OF 300,000 IS FAVORED

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—A peace-time regular army of 300,000 men and 18,000 officers was decided on today by the house military subcommittee, headed by Representative Anthony, Republican, Kansas, framing the army reorganization bill. The number of combat troops was fixed at 250,000.

SENSATIONAL STORY A MYTH; AVIATOR GETS DISMISSAL

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—Sentence of dismissal imposed by a naval court martial on Captain Edmund George Chamberlain, an aviator in the marine corps, on charges growing out of his sensational claims of having defeated a vastly superior force of German airplanes on the western front, was approved today by Secretary Daniels.

Chamberlain is a native of San Antonio, Texas. His case became one of unusual interest to the service and officials of the navy department and marine corps were sent overseas to investigate every principal involved.

Chamberlain claimed that on July 28, 1918 on a trip over the British front he had fought with 12 German planes destroyed five of them, damaged two others and sweeping earthward with a damaged machine sent a detachment of German soldiers.

He said that after landing he took a German prisoner by pretending that a compass was a bomb and then carried a wounded French officer back to safety.

Denial of the exploit by British officers led to an investigation. Chamberlain contended that the failure of the British flyers to corroborate his story was because the admission that an American officer had used a British machine would have resulted in their court martial.

Witnesses in Chamberlain's behalf testified that he had landed in a British plane on the date mentioned in his official report.

Chamberlain's case now goes to the president for final decision.

CHARGES IMPROPER TREATMENT
CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Charges that wounded soldiers in the army hospital at Fort Sheridan are being improperly fed were made in a telegram sent by Congressman Royal C. Johnson, of South Dakota, to Secretary of War Baker, made public today, demanding an immediate investigation. Congressman Johnson visited the hospital yesterday, he said, and asserted that patients were fed under conditions "worse than any in France."

GREEKS OCCUPY FIXED ZONE
SALONIKI, Sunday, Dec. 7.—Greek troops in Asia Minor have advanced to the line fixed by the peace conference, according to an official statement issued at army headquarters here. The zone of occupation fixed for the Greeks has thus been completely occupied.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

KUNKL BOB WANTED KNOW
EF EY-THING DON'T GIT
MIGHTY ON-PLEASANT
ROUN' DE HOUSE WEN
DE OLE OMAN GIT MAD
--AN SPEC' IT DO--AN
DON' NEYUH STAY DAN
T' SEE!



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INITIATIVE IN FOREIGN RELATIONS BELONGS TO HIM, STATES WILSON

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—President Wilson would be "gravely concerned to see any such resolution pass the congress," he wrote Senator Fall today in referring to the Fall resolution requesting the president to sever diplomatic relations with the Carranza government.

"It would constitute a reversal of our constitutional practice which might lead to very grave confusion in regard to the guidance of our foreign affairs," he wrote.

The president expressed confidence that he had the support of every competent constitutional authority in the statement that the direction of the government's foreign affairs was assigned by the constitution to the chief executive and to him alone.

The president's letter to Senator Fall follows:

"Thank you very much for your kind promptness in complying with my request that you send me a copy of the memorandum report of the subcommittee on Mexican affairs of the committee on foreign affairs. I shall examine it with the greatest interest and care. What you told me of the investigation, on Friday, last, prepares me to find in it matter of the greatest importance."

"You ask an indication of my desire with regard to the pending resolution, to which you and Senator Hitchcock called my attention on Friday, and I am glad to reply with the utmost frankness, that I should be gravely concerned to see any such resolution pass the congress. It would constitute a reversal of our constitutional practice which might lead to very grave confusion in regard to the guidance of our foreign affairs. I am confident that I am supported by every competent constitutional authority in the statement that the initiative in directing the relations of our government with foreign governments is assigned by the constitution to the executive and to the executive only. Only one of the two houses of congress is associated with the president by the constitution in an advisory capacity and the advice of the senate is provided for only when sought by the executive in regard to explicit agreements with foreign governments and the appointment of the diplomatic representatives who are to speak for this government at foreign capitals. The only safe course, I am confident, is to adhere to the prescribed method of the constitution. We might go very far afield if we departed from it."

"I am very much obliged to you for having given me the opportunity to express this opinion."

"Very truly yours,"

"WOODROW WILSON."

"Hon. Albert B. Fall,"

United States Senate.

When the president's letter was received, Senator Lodge, chairman of the foreign relations committee, called Senator Fall and Senator Brandegee, Republican, Connecticut, of the committee, into conference and in a few minutes announced that no further action on the Mexican situation would be taken by the committee.

"We wanted to help," Senator Lodge said, "but now the entire Mexican situation goes to the president. The responsibility is upon his shoulders. Let it rest there."

It was expected Senator Fall would make public during the day the evidence upon which he based his resolution, requesting the severance of diplomatic relations.

Senator Lodge said the committee had wished to assure the president of his support but even that appeared undesirable. "Very well," he said, "he may deal with it."

"It was what I expected," remarked Senator Hitchcock, after reading the president's letter.

HAS SOLVED THE RIDDLE

PARIS, Dec. 8.—(Havas)—Sir Ernest Rutherford, since 1907 Langworthy professor and director of physical laboratories at the University of Manchester, England, has solved the riddle of transmutation of matter, the secret sought by the alchemist, according to The Mails.

FUSION CANDIDATE OPPOSES BERGER

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Dec. 8.—Candidates for congress in the fifth Wisconsin district are today being voted for at a special primary election. On December 19, the vacancy caused by congress refusal to seat Victor Berger, Socialist, who was elected at the November election in 1918, will be filled. Berger again is a candidate of his party, while Henry H. Rohrer, Republican, has been agreed upon as a fusion candidate of the two old parties.

MINISTER KILLED
BALTIMORE.—Rev. William R. Dell killed when New York Washington express hit automobile.

SAN FRANCISCO OUT OF RACE IN CONVENTION

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—Any possibility that San Francisco would be selected for the 1920 Republican national convention apparently disappeared today when William H. Crocker, the national committeeman for California, announced that his district would throw its influence for the selection of Chicago.

No active campaign had been made by the Pacific coast city for the convention, but business interests there had asked for it. Although several other cities still were mentioned, the race seemed to be between Chicago and St. Louis.

Republican leaders from every state were coming in to Washington today to take a hand in the numberless conferences on candidates and politics, incident to the meeting of the Republican national committee, Wednesday. These conferences easily overshadowed in interest the real purpose of the meeting, which is to select a time and place for the 1920 convention.

IMPERATOR HELD FOR OVER-FUELING

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—The former German liner Imperator, now under the British flag, will not be permitted to leave New York, officials said today until the railroad administration has completed its investigation of charges that the vessel had taken on 8,000 tons of coal when her fuel permit called for only 2,500 tons. It was intimated that if the facts warranted, prosecution would be undertaken for violation of the Lever fuel and fuel control act. The Imperator, which recently was turned over to the Cunard line is due to sail Wednesday, but her departure may be delayed.

NOT PREPARING EXPEDITION

FUME, Sunday, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Gabriele D'Annunzio assured the correspondent today that he was not preparing an expedition against Spalato or Ljubljana. He gave his word of honor that this statement was true.

BILLY-BUT-IN



Gettin' that rain stopped was some job but now that possibilities of a flood are nipped in the bud and a better brand of shopping weather is on hand, merchants and public alike ought to be in better humor. Here's for tomorrow:

OWHO—Cloudy and colder tonight; Tuesday snow.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 45; low, 33.

LYRIC

Tonight,
Tomorrow and
Wednesday

—A First National Attraction—

Katherine Mac Donald

"The American Beauty" in

"The THUNDERBOLT"

THE ROMANCE OF THE STRANGEST MARRIAGE ON RECORD

Katherine MacDonald's First Appearance
Since "The Woman Thou Gavest Me"



Hating his beautiful wife long before he had seen her—marrying her to make sure she would be the last of her family—denying to her the right to motherhood—this unnatural husband's unique revenge was frustrated by the Providence that watches over mothers. A man who hates is no match for a woman who loves.

"A Drama of Pulsating passions, fierce, elemental is 'The Thunderbolt.'"
Admission: Adults 30c; Children 15c Shows Continuous

Public Service Director Endorses Clean-up Work

Various squads of women belonging to the Woman's City Club are making plans of educating the people to investigations of alleys in accordance with the plan to encourage housewives to make a general clean-up. This plan has been endorsed by Director of Public Service, Ralph Calvert, who in a letter to the secretary of the Woman's City Club made the following statement:

"Dear Madam:
Your esteemed letter received.

let street, Thursday evening of this week.

The regular monthly business session of the C. W. B. M. will be held at the home of Mrs. Ed. Allen, Vinton and Center streets, tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Oscar Robinson will have charge of the program, while Mrs. C. D. Mott's division will have charge of the social hour.

Section One will meet at the home of Mrs. Boyles, 509 Court street, Friday afternoon.

Choir practice Friday evening at 7:15 o'clock.

Section Five will meet with Mrs. Haggerty, Thursday afternoon.

THE MOVIES

At The Arena

Tonight at the Arena there is a dandy program, consisting of a two-reel western feature and a comedy which is sure to please. "At the Point of a Gun" is the title of the Western, featuring Pete Morrison and Josephine Hill. "A Tight Fix" is the title of the Rainbow comedy. Charlie from the Orient, and Claire Alexander are the fun makers in this feature comedy.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the sickness and death of our darling baby, John H. Swearington; also Brother Oakley for his consoling words in our hour of sorrow and the church for their beautiful flowers; and Mr. Whittle for his kind funeral and the way he conducted the funeral and the Selby shoe company and the boys in the last department for their beautiful floral offerings and their help which was greatly appreciated. Thank you each and every one.

John Swearington and Wife
210 Front Street, City

Uniforms Ordered

Today the boys and girls basketball teams of P. H. S. started to practice in earnest.

The girls will have the use of the gym from 2:15 until 3:30 and the boys will practice the remainder of the afternoon. New uniforms have been ordered for the boys and will be here for the first game of the season, January 10th.

WAKE UP "FIDDLE FIT"

Take "Cascarets" for Your Liver and Bowels and
Feel Fresh as a Daisy—Constipation Gone!

EMBARGO ORDER ON C. & O. AND N. & W.

In order to move the volume of west-bound coal required to meet present needs, the N. & W. has placed an embargo on all freight other than coal or coke from any points east of Williams and distant to any points west of Williams, W. Va., and all freight from Monaca and points west thereof distant

to any points east of Monaca except live stock, perishable freight, fuel oil and food for human and animal consumption distant to local stations on N. & W. or to local stations on the C. and O. R. R., Danville and Western R. R., Portsmouth Belt Line, Virginia R. R. and Winston-Salem south bound.

The C. & O. has issued a similar embargo from any points east of Huntington distant to any point west of Huntington on the C. & O. R. R., and from Ashland, Ky., and points west thereof distant to any points east of Ashland, with the exceptions outlined above. This embargo is to allow a free coal movement which is badly needed.

TO TENDER RECEPTION TO NEW PASTOR

Rev. Thomas A. Green, D. D., new pastor of Allen Chapel A. M. E. church will be heartily greeted this evening at the Allen Chapel A. M. E. church. Rev. Green and wife will be given a welcome to this city. The following program will be rendered:

On Behalf of the Pastors, by Rev. B. L. Reed, Pastor Pleasant Green Baptist church.

On Behalf of the Churches, Rev. M. S. Johnson.

On Behalf of Laymen, Rev. J. H. Smith.

On Behalf of Public Schools, Prof. E. M. Gentry.

On Behalf of Citizens, Dr. E. W. Linhart.

There will also be two infant remarks by the Presidents and Superintendents of the various auxiliaries of the church as follows:

President of Stewards Board, Mrs. Bettie Richmond.

President of Sewing Circle, Mrs. Banks.

President of Trustee Aids, Mrs. R. Victor Penman.

Secretary Building Committee, Prof. Minor.

Superintendent of Sunday School, John H. Jackson.

President of Christian Endeavor, Frank Jackson.

President of Missions Society, Mrs. E. F. White.

President of the Choir, Mrs. William Price.

President of Men's Auxiliary, Mrs. John W. Evans.

Trustee Board, Mr. William Gooden.

Financial Board, Rev. Grant Metcalf.

Chorus, Miss Ima Turner, Rev. Thomas A. Green, Pastor, John W. Evans, Secretary Steward Board.

NEWBERRY STOOD MUTE WHEN ARRAIGNED

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., Dec. 8.—United States Senator Truman H. Newberry and thirteen of those indicted with him on charges of violating the election laws stood mute when arraigned this afternoon before United States District Judge C. W. Sessions. When the group of 14 appeared before the court Attorney James B. Marshall, representing them, informed Judge Sessions that it had been the intention of the respondents to plead not guilty, but inasmuch as this precluded the possibility of raising certain legal questions, they would stand mute.

Baptist Secretary Talks Here

Rev. T. F. Chamber, ex-secretary of the Ohio Baptist Convention, spoke here three times yesterday to appreciative audiences.

He preached in the morning at the First Church, and at evening at the Kendall Avenue Church. In the afternoon he addressed a Baptist mass meeting on the subject, "Back to Baptists and Their Work."

This was followed by conferences with the various delegations present, concerning the work of their own churches.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Sunday the Sabbath school attendance showed an increase over the Sunday before the total yesterday being 5,765, while a week ago it was 5,408.	Bigelow	382
Trinity Men's Bible Class, had 120 present Sunday an increase over the week before while the other three schools suffered decreases in the Men's Class.	Frederick Avenue M. E.	420
First Christian had 90, Bigelow 88 and Second Presbyterian 61 in attendance Sunday. Sunday's record:	United Brethren	321
Trinity	First Evangelical	322
Second Presbyterian	First Baptist	374
Manly	Grandview Ave. Christian	370
First Presbyterian	New Boston Christian	370
	Wheelerburg M. E.	371
	Scotville M. E.	374
	New Boston M. E.	375
	New Boston Baptist	375
	Calvary Baptist	377
	Kendall Avenue Baptist	380
	Allen Chapel	392
	Pleasant Green	406
	Total	3,807

Increase Pastor's Salary

At a congregational meeting of the Calvary Baptist church, Pastor L. M. Kayser's salary was raised \$200.00.

This is the second time Rev. Kayser has received an increase since coming to Portsmouth two years ago. His move into his new parsonage this week.

VESPER SERVICES A SUCCESS

Vesper services at the Elbe Triangle short and consist of a short address and music. Rev. C. H. Boyd spoke Sunday afternoon marking the beginning of a regular custom which will undoubtedly become a favorite with local business women. The services are

TROOP 7 WILL SELL STAMPS

Troop 7 of the Boy Scouts, the members of which are all local boys, have pledged to sell 5,000 stamps and have pledged to sell \$50 worth of Red Cross Bonds in the fight against tuberculosis.

Will Enjoy Banquet

The B. L. F. and E. No. 551 will hold a banquet at the K. of P. hall Wednesday evening, December 10. All members and families are requested to be present. Good music and several addresses by good speakers will be the main feature of the evening. Refreshments will also be served.

Train Stalled; Governor Fails To Reach Huntington

HUNTINGTON, Dec. 8.—Two thousand people attended the memorial service of the Huntington lodge of 1343 in the city auditorium Sunday afternoon.

Governor John J. Cornwell, who was to have delivered the memorial address, was unable to reach the city because of a Chesapeake & Ohio passenger train was stalled east of Charleston, and did not arrive here until after six o'clock last night.

Fox Is Here For Match

Charles E. Fox, of Cleveland, who meets Joe Varga tomorrow night in a finish wrestling match, arrived in Portsmouth today. Fox looks to be in perfect condition and says he never felt better in his life. He is quite confident of being able to get the better of Varga tomorrow night in spite of the fact that the double wrist lock, which he obtained both falls in their last match will be barred.

Varga has been working hard and is also "fit as a fiddle" for the big bout.

Here Are The Winners

Winners of the contest at the Columbia theater, in which prizes were offered for those guessing the exact number of the greatest number of local boys and girls, the boys of whose names were displayed on the screen, are as follows:

First prize, \$10 in Thrift Stamps, George H. Rich, 312 Second street.

Second prize, \$7.50 in stamps, James Van Horn, 1511 Jackson street.

Third prize, \$5 in stamps, Walter Chick, 321 Grimes avenue.

Fourth prize, \$2.50 in stamps, Geo. W. Sebold, 114 Stannum street.

The winners are requested to call at the Columbia Box office and get the stamps.

None of the contestants reached correctly all of the 16 boys.

Asked To Return Umbrella

The person who took an umbrella from the Play House on Saturday evening by mistake is asked to return it. The umbrella is of silk with the name "L. H. H." engraved on the silver tip of the handle and is prized very highly.

THOUSANDS of people go to bed each year to drink PLUTO WATER. You can buy it today at your drugstore, chemist, grocer, and on trains.

Your Physician Prescribes It.

PLUTO CONCENTRATED SPRING WATER

PLUTO WATER America's Physic

BERKMAN LOSES HIS FIGHT

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—A writ of habeas corpus obtained by counsel for Alexander Berkman in the hope of preventing his deportation to Russia, because of his anarchist activities, was dismissed today by Federal Judge Mayne.

DENIED WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS

PHOENIX, ILL., Dec. 8.—Judge Louis Fitzhugh in the United States circuit court this afternoon denied the application of Frank Patterson, president of the Illinois Mine Workers, for a writ of habeas corpus. He was arrested Saturday and charged with violating the coal strike injunction of Federal Judge Anderson at Indianapolis. Patterson filed notice of appeal and is maintaining the writ at liberty on \$10,000 bond.

Better Furniture for Less, Distaffs It

To Inspect Office

Dist. Col. A. D. Smith of Cincinnati will be here Thursday to inspect the local recruiting office and to inspect Victory bonds. Former secretary and District Attorney William W. Smith should have their discharge papers in the local recruiting office before noon Thursday.

MRS. LEWIS OF BROOKLYN

Tells How She Was Made Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—"For one year I was miserable from a disordered system, which caused nervousness, sleeplessness, and a general run-down condition of the system, and the most successful remedy to restore strength to me was Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have been suffering from a general run-down condition of the system, and the most successful remedy to restore strength to me was Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have been suffering from a general run-down condition of the system, and the most successful remedy to restore strength to me was Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."

ALBERT ZOELLNER'S QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

ARE YOU AFFLICTED WITH MOVIE?

When you are looking at a moving picture, don't sit too near the front. While you are looking at the picture, your eye muscles are constantly employed and your iris made active by the continual change of light. If this causes your eyes to become inflamed, seek an experienced optometrist.

ALBERT ZOELLNER OPTOMETRIST 319 & CHILLICOTHE



COLUMBIA

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

PARAMOUNT-ARTCRAFT PRESENTS

PAULINE FREDERICK

IN HER LATEST "PARAMOUNT" SPECIAL

"OUT OF THE SHADOW"

FOUNDED ON "THE SHADOW OF A ROPE" BY
ERNEST WILLIAM HORNUNG
ADDED ATTRACTION

"HOW DRY I AM"

A RIP-ROARING UP-TO-THE-MINUTE COMEDY

DON'T FORGET THIS WEEK

WHO'S WHO IN PORTSMOUTH

THE SIXTEEN (16) PROMINENT CITIZENS, WHOSE BACKS WERE SHOWN UPON
THE SCREEN LAST WEEK WILL TURN AROUND AND FACE THE AUDIENCE THIS
WEEK

DON'T FAIL TO SEE "WHO'S WHO IN PORTSMOUTH" ALL THIS WEEK

Ohio Is Rising

(BULLETIN)

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the Ohio registered 49.7 and the rate of rise had increased to 4 inches an hour, Local River Observer F. B. Winter estimated.

(BULLETIN)

Special dispatch received by local river observer, F. B. Winter, at 9:45

HELP FOR MOTHER

A mother whose strength is over-wrought or who is thin, pale or nervous, should find renewed energy in every drop of

SCOTT'S EMULSION

Let it help turn your daily tasks from a burden to pleasure. Scott's Emulsion is abundant in those nourishing elements that every mother in the land needs.

Scott & Borne, New York, N. Y.

this morning, from Forecaster Devereaux, states that the Ohio river at Portsmouth will continue to rise tonight and Tuesday, reaching a crest of about 46 or 47 feet, late Tuesday or Wednesday.

The Ohio is on another rampage, the result of heavy rains, which fell throughout the Ohio Valley Saturday and Sunday morning.

At 7 o'clock this morning the gauge showed a stage of 38.3, the river having risen 20 feet since Saturday night at 5 o'clock. Local River Observer F. B. Winter stated this morning that the Ohio was rising here at about three inches an hour. Heavy rain was reported yesterday at Pittsburgh, Parkersburg, Marietta, Huntington, Ashland and Ironton.

(Greens In County Go On Rampage)

The heavy rain Saturday caused all the creeks in Scioto county to go on a rampage.

Turkey Creek, on the West Side, was higher than it had been for years, but caused very little damage, according to Ex-County Commissioner Charles Worley, who lives on Turkey Creek.

Brush Creek and Pine Creek were also very high, as great volumes of water were poured into them. Some damage is reported along Brush Creek.

Sure Relief



Water Again Over The Scioto Trail

The Scioto river was rising at Waverly and Piketon Sunday and Sunday evening water was again over the Prairie road connecting Piketon and Waverly. Until the river falls autos can use the old pike following the N. & W. out of Piketon.

Families Are Forced To Move

Harden Creek and Jesse's Run reached a flood stage at Harden, many families being forced to move early Sunday morning and considerable damage to property in the village resulted. Rocky Fork was also on a rampage and farmers living along that stream suffered heavy losses while citizens at Otway, Henley, Arion and other points suffered damage from the rising water.

SOCIETY

The musical circles of Huntington and surrounding towns will hear the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra tonight with the famous Eugene Ysaie, conducting.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Denton and daughter Isabel of Fourth street left Sunday for Chicago in response to a message informing them of the death of Mrs. Denton's sister, Mrs. Bertha Bridges, who died very suddenly at her home on Saturday. Mrs. Bridges is well-known here, having made her home here several years ago. Mrs. E. Hicks and daughter, Miss Helen, and Mrs. Amanda McGuire and son Stanton McGuire, of Ninth street, left today to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Bridges, a niece of Mrs. Hicks and Mrs. McGuire.

Miss Mattie Brown of Seventh street is spending a few days in Ironton and will be a guest at the Elk dance there on Tuesday evening.

Miss Katherine Weber of Vinton avenue has returned from a three months' visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Barry, of Greco, Virginia.

Mrs. J. R. Coleman of Highland avenue and Miss Carrie Sowers of Lincoln street, have returned home from Proctorville and Chesapeake, where they organized Home Missionary Societies, Mrs. Coleman being assistant director of that organization.

The Hiltop W. C. T. U. will have a social and business meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Russell, 1920 Eighteenth street. A package sale will be among the evening's diversions, the proceeds to go for the Jubilee Fund.

Madame Milton Stahler, D. A. Breidig, Charles W. Watkins and Clarence Valley and Miss Dora Hamilton of Waverly, departed for Portsmouth today on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. Mary Harrison entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Boyd's birthday anniversary, at the home of Mrs. William Boyd, 811 Front street. The table was attractive with flowers and birthday cake bearing twenty-eight candles. Among the guests were Mrs. Henry Ray and children, Samuel, Raymond and Hester, Mr. and Mrs. George Helms, Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Harrison, Miss Maudie Whaley, Miss Hazel Whaley, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lewis.

Mrs. A. C. Rutledge of this city has returned from a visit to friends in Ironton.

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Return to Cincinnati: Charles Scudder left today for Cincinnati, where he is serving on the petit jury in the U. S. Court. He spent the week end with his family here.

The sale of Specialty Sub-division lots closes in a few days. P. W. Kilgus.



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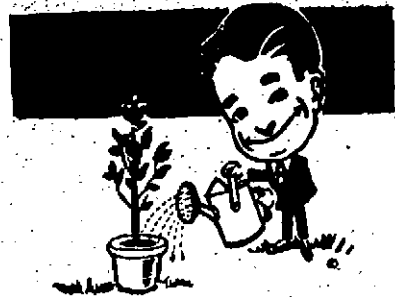
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It is the cry everywhere--"Wanted--Red-Blooded Men!" The soldiers and sailors that won the war were red-blooded, two-fisted fellows. In business it is the red-blooded man that stands the strain and wins the big successes. The world has no place for the thin-blooded weakling. It is natural too, that red-blooded men and women should have more friends, and they do. They are better human beings than the thin-blooded anemics, who are likely to be "grocery" and irritable most of the time.

and ample quotation, and with the expression that a true and comprehensive understanding inspires, he could interpret its meaning and reveal its beauties.

He Revealed in Shakespeare's Treasure

It was natural that one of his temperament should revel in Shakespeare, its philosophy and its wit, its exquisite poetry and insight in human nature, alike exposing weakness, and exalting its strength. He laughed with Falstaff, admired the charm of Pericles and Miranda, scorned Iago, and wept with the pathetic Ophelia, as she weaved rosemary and columbine tangled out of tune. He has told us that he had read Hamlet more than fifty times and always found new riches in this inexhaustible store of treasures. Hamlet is indeed the darling of those who read, and to use one of Shakespeare's own illustrations, it is the very burton on the cap of all literature, and has no rival, unless it be the Twenty Third Psalm, the incomparable song of David.

I know with what rapture he visited the birth place of Shakespeare to do homage to that shrine of English letters, and with what exaltation of feeling he visited the poet's old home, the church where he was buried, and walked of a summer evening where the low hung willows caress the quiet waters of Avon.

Judge Milner's success as a lawyer was due to what is erroneously called genius, but to application and hard work, thorough and painstaking preparation, and the effort that spells of the lamp. He had, of course, advantages, principally hard earned attainments, and the golden gift of eloquence, but he knew that the law is a jealous mistress and its regards are only bestowed on those who literally rise with the lark and trim assiduously the midnight lamp. This he did and so gives example to all who hope to rank in the attractive field of law.

Persistent research for the law, and the concentration and thought he exercised, gave him the ability to discriminate and solve the many puzzles the law presents. The law is not vague or mysterious but the relations of life and the possibilities of the facts of each case are so infinite that the difficulties to the practitioner is in its application. The first requisite of a lawyer is just common sense, the next industry, and the third, which is common to all walks of life, is honesty. These Judge Milner had. He gave with this fidelity to his client and respect to the Court. He was an unusual trial lawyer, being exceedingly quick, familiar with the law and the rules of evidence and a master of subtle analysis and sound logic. With these he marshalled the sources of the strength of his case against the weak points of his adversary so persistently and unerringly that a client could feel, if his cause was at all just, that his rights would be preserved. He was not content with this. He was not content with the law as it was, but he sought to gain approval. He tried his case to the Court and to the Jury.

As a Judge he was just and upright. He would not permit merit or justice to be side-tracked by technicalities which is a bane and a reproach to the administration of justice. He could be severe to the guilty and evil minded, and he could temper justice with mercy.

In a social way he was a delightful companion, and among chosen and congenial friends a constant source of life and vivacity. His wit and repartee, his quaint conceits, bits of original verse and ability to carry on a real and true conversation, not unappreciated almost forgotten art, made and endeared him to the most sincere friends. All Strong Characters Have Their Faults

He was human and it is human to err. All strong characters have their faults, but these are like setting in platinum, the base metal gives more brilliancy to the diamond. In this Judge, we write the faults of our brothers on the sand, and as Emerson says, we judge men and brothers by their better moments.

Judge Milner possessed that rigid type of honesty that cannot be swayed from the right path of conviction. Nothing could tempt him to any other course no matter how alluring or ridiculous the influence. He was altogether a true, a devoted husband, and an upright citizen, and his death is a distinct loss to this lodge and to the whole community. As one of his friends has said, he always ran on high gear, even after he was stricken. His friends now realize he knew it was the end, but he approached death with the calm courage and stoicism that marked the end of Socrates.

One of the most compelling things of life is reverence and loving remembrance of the dead. It has a sweet and wholesome influence, and is a constant restraint on the evil tendencies and the baser nature. It is a lofty and ennobling sentiment which the Elks cultivate as a part of their creed of Charity, Justice and Brotherly Love. "In a word," says Margaret Deland, "where death is the sequence of life, we deliberately allow ourselves to love, although

love plus death equals grief, as inevitable as two and two make four." This lodge in the practice of Brotherly love is all embracing. It extends this principle to all who have ever been members. At these usual Lodges of sorrow it formally calls the roll of its dead, and, in that way, and by words of remembrance and tribute, it is a medium by which the younger men learn to know the older ones whom they never met. In recalling with fidelity their virtues and worth, their influence in this way never ceases. A member in this way never dies, and thus the character and standing of the lodge is the sum of the character and influence of all its members, whether they are living or dead.

When Pandora, the first woman of mythology, allowed the evil spirits to escape from the vase and plague our bodies with disease and cloud our minds with envy spite and malice, she still saved for mankind Hope. And when our first parents transgressed, hope was not banished with them. We have, in the past five years, felt the sting and scourge of these evil spirits and the world has all but been trampled with Hope itself, by the four horsemen, famine, pestilence, war and death, and the world still seeks with unrest, but Hope, that was saved, sustains.

At this sad hour we are depressed, we always are whether in the presence of death or in its contemplation, but the Elks believe in God, else they could not be Elks. They believe in the resurrection of the body, not only from the revealed and inspired word, but because nature in a hundred ways testifies to a future life. The withered rose is renewed with a greater fragrance, spring with its blossoms follows the death of winter, and the splendors of the sunset ushering out the dying day fades into night, but the dawn is a new birth. Can man, created in the image of his maker, hope for less?

We feel that from the manifold revelations of God, his infinite mercy and love, and from the sweet and gentle teachings of Christ, that we can exclaim of each of our brothers, as Elaine said of Garsfield: "Let us believe that in the silence of the reeding world, he heard the great waves breaking on a farther shore and felt already upon his sweating brow the breath of the eternal morning."

Mr. Pearce Was A Sterling Citizen

G. F. Turley in his eulogy on the memory of his dear friend James S. Pearce said:

James Sterling Pearce was removed from the scene of action with suddenness akin to a clap of thunder from a clear sky. His friends and loved ones were shocked and wholly unprepared for the blow. Many of his intimate friends were unaware of his illness. In the short space of four days from the inception of his illness he had left us in the high tide of his massive manhood and usefulness. A host of friends and loved ones throughout the country were left to mourn his untimely end.

Mr. Pearce was born in England, leaving there at the age of 14 with his father and took up his residence in the Dominion of Canada. He was soon associated with the Canadian Pacific railroad as an apprentice, serving in that capacity for a term of five years. Upon the completion of his trade he continued as a machinist in Montreal for several years. He later became identified with the construction of the Union-Pacific out of Chicago, specializing on shop lay out and construction and during that time saw much of the then "wild and woolly west" through Montana and Wyoming. He subsequently

became foreman of the St. Paul round house of the C. B. & Q. Ry. and occupied that position during the trying days of the big "Q" strike, which was under direction of the then powerful Knights of Labor. As an evidence of the ability and genius of Mr. Pearce, I am informed that the C. B. & Q. was the only line which was able to operate trains out of St. Paul during the period of the strike. Mr. Pearce later became general foreman of the H. C. B. Ry. at Kansas City, removing thence to one of the southern lines, from which he came to the Norfolk & Western in 1908 as a master mechanic at the instance of President Johnson with whom he had been intimately associated on one of the western lines. His service as master mechanic covered many divisions and he was occupying that important position at the time of his death. He rendered excellent in the establishment of the big yards at East Portsmouth, continuing in charge for many years, leaving in 1917 returning to Roanoke and later to Creeve, Va. his last post.

The acquaintance and fellowship I formed with Mr. Pearce shortly after he came to the N. & W. continued uninterruptedly during the remainder of his life. He was one who did not count the favor of any man but was steadfast in his friendships. His was a charming personality, brilliant in conversation and witty to a degree. His home life was ideal, he was ever the loving and sympathetic husband and father entering intimately into the affairs of his family. It is said that he had the happy formula of leaving his business cares, which were many, at his office and returning home untroubled by them. He was a self-made man, a master workman in his profession, being intimately familiar with the practical as well as the theoretical side of the situation. He was the soul of honor and a man whose word was his bond, and he had the utmost contempt for one who told or acted a lie. These characteristics were well known to those with whom he was associated and no doubt kept some from attempting misrepresentation.

Mr. Pearce was a constant student of mechanical matters, and kept abreast of the times. He was a great reader and was always well posted and competent to intelligently discuss the questions of the day. He was ever a well informed man, and his opinions upon many matters were eagerly sought for and applied.

Was Utterly Devoted Of Obedience

He was not a man who carried his heart upon his sleeve, was utterly devoid of ostentation or anything that would bring him ignominy. He called himself a plain man, but his intimate friends, his friends, often casually formed, were enduring. He attracted men with out apparent effort and held them.

He was conscious of and relied wholly upon his ability and depended upon merit alone for the success which he attained. He had the quality of discerning the silver lining with which every cloud is surrounded.

In spite of his untimely passing Mr. Pearce was a well rounded character—one whom the community and the railroad he served so well and faithfully could ill afford to lose. To know him was to love and admire him.

Brother Elks and friends the life of Brother Pearce was worthy of imitation. His relationships were perfect at home and abroad. What he undertook he carried to fulfillment. By reason of his uprightness and honesty he was able to look every man in the face unchallenged and unafraid. In truth we may apply to him in all its fullness, the beautiful motto of our order:

"Our brother's faults we write upon the sands; their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory." His faults were few his virtues many. That the God of our fathers, whose we are and whom we serve, however imperfectly, may give to his body peaceful rest, and to his spirit happy and triumphant residence in the Heavenly Kingdom, and to his loved ones sustaining grace is our prayer in the name of the Blessed Immanuel."

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GOV. COX CALLS OFF STATE CONFERENCE

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 8.—Declaring that indications "pointed to a settlement of the bituminous coal miners' strike on a nation-wide basis," Governor Cox has called off the conference with representatives of the miners and operators, scheduled to be resumed today looking to a settlement of the strike in Ohio.

The governor's action followed receipt of a telegram from Secretary to the President Tumulty, which suggested, in view of Attorney General Palmer's announcement that a new proposition to settle the nation-wide coal strike, made by the government, would be considered by the United Mine Workers' executive committee tomorrow at Indianapolis, that he call off the Ohio conference.

In the event the latest government offer, details of which have not been divulged, fails to bring about a resumption of mining, it was intimated by the governor he would resume his conference with the Ohio operators and miners.

Meanwhile, efforts to combat the scarcity of fuel were not relaxed. Hundreds of non-essential industries in Ohio have already been forced to shut down, many plants have had to curtail operations, while public utilities are seriously hampered by the coal shortage.

Even should the miners return to work at once, the scarcity of fuel would not be relieved for several days. It was said in Cleveland the reserve stocks on hand when the strike started were not expected to last longer than tomorrow. Mahoning valley steel plants are seriously crippled and a prolonged fuel famine will force entire suspension of these mills, it is feared.

A survey made in nearly two score of the principal industrial centers in Ohio outside of Cleveland indicated that more than 25,000 shop and factory workers were idle and that 100,000 more would be jobless by the end of this week unless hundreds of plants are given quick relief. Normal conditions would not return for several weeks, even should the mines reopen at once, it was said by state officials.

"If the miners accept President Wilson's new proposal for ending of the strike, Ohio operators will be able to increase their production to 5,000 cars a week," W. D. McKinnon, secretary of the Southern Ohio Coal Exchange, said today.

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SOCIETY
The Research Club will have a meeting on Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Harry Steadly, 1815 Oakland avenue.

The Home League Club will meet on Thursday afternoon, December 11, at the home of Mrs. G. E. Thomas, 514 Waller street, with Mrs. L. G. Leake assisting. The program will include: Scripture Reading—Miss Mary Bell; Roll Call—Cities in England. Paper—"Leaders of the World War"—Mrs. Florence Pick. "Catherine Breckinridge"—Mrs. C. W. Wendelken. "Correct English"—Mrs. John Kottlinghaus. Sunshine Corner—Mrs. W. A. Eichlerberger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Davis and son Jack, of Fifth street, who are enjoying a delightful sojourn in the West, are now in San Francisco, Calif.

After a week-end visit with Miss Edna Marting of Waller street, Sunday, Miss Martha Mary Moore has returned to her home in Ashland.

Mrs. Frank Veary and daughter, Alice, 1607 Fifth street, left Sunday night for Winston-Salem, N. C., for a brief visit with her husband, who is general foreman of the Norfolk and Western shops in that city.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Franklin Avenue M. E. Church will meet Friday afternoon, instead of Thursday, at the home of Mrs. Fred Krammer, 724 Third street. Mrs. Frank Enth and Mrs. E. F. Hildeout will assist.

Mrs. Howard E. Miller and children, Mary Ellen and Howard E. Jr., of Tonganoxie, Kans., will arrive this evening to spend the Christmas holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Herz on Fifth street.

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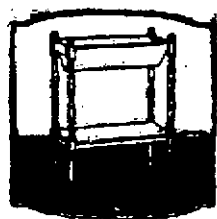


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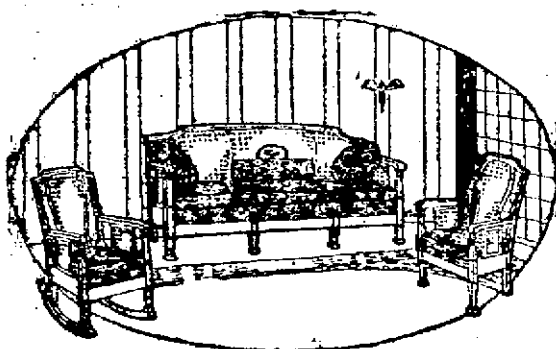


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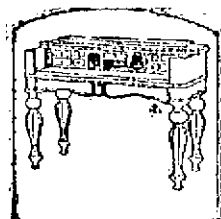
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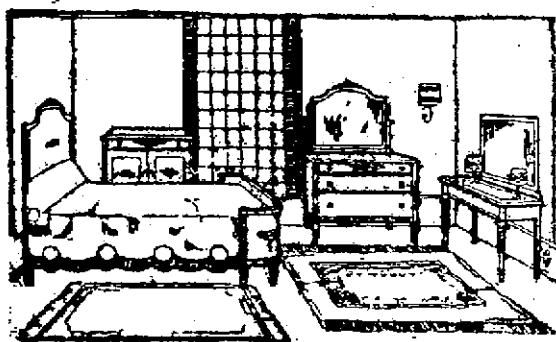
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Living Room Suite In Uline and Mahogany, Damask, Tapestry
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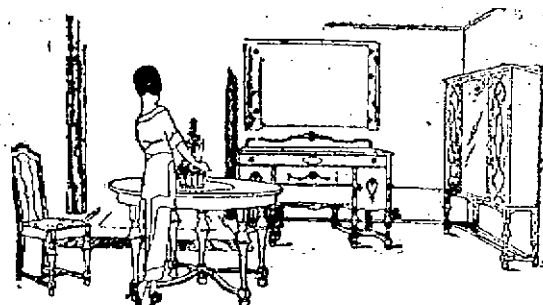
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Table Desk



Period Bed Room Suite In Ivory, French Grey, Mahogany,
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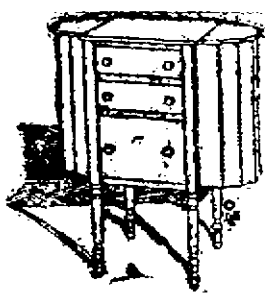
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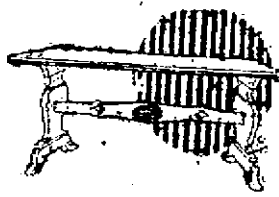
William And Mary Dining Room Suite In Mahogany, Walnut,
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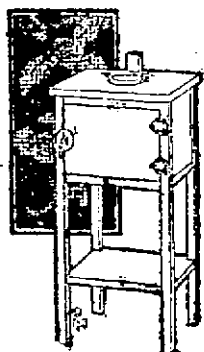
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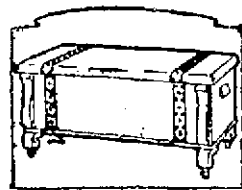
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Cabinet Mahogany



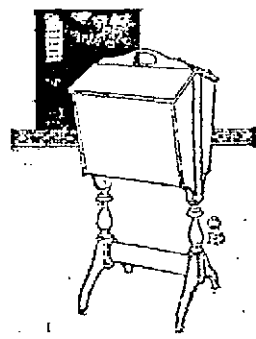
Period Davenport Table
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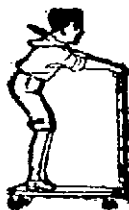
Smoker, Mahogany, Oak
Walnut



Tennessee Order Chest—
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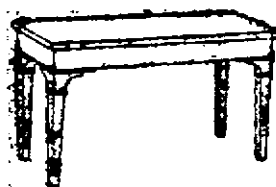
Priscilla Sewing Cabinet—
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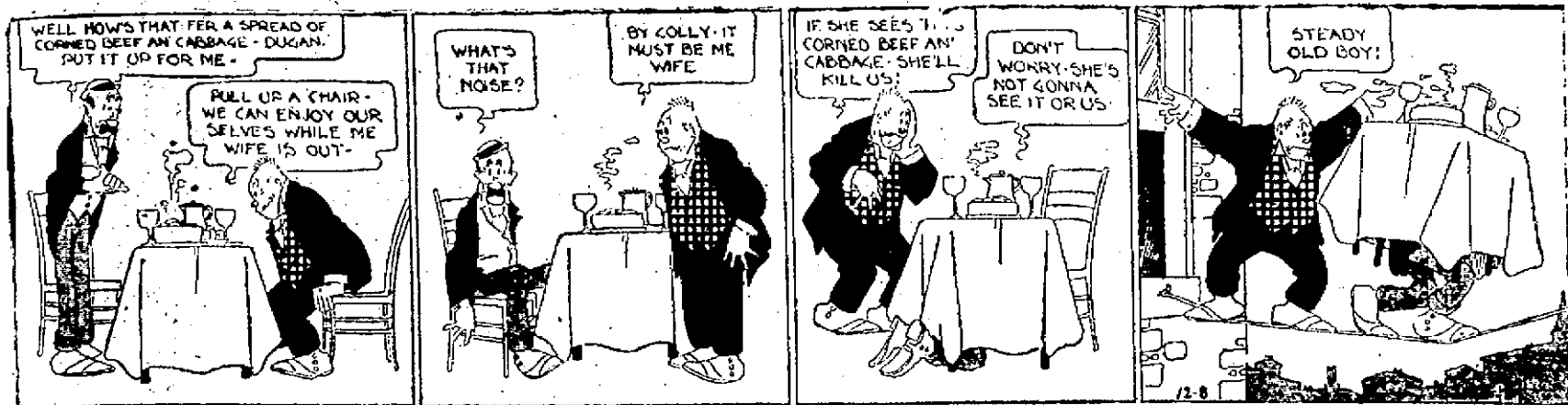
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Members of the election committee, and tellers will meet at the Chamber of Commerce, headquarters, Monday night to canvass the votes in the primary election under the direction of the field secretary, O. H. Stone. Ballots must be cast not later than six o'clock Monday evening to be counted. Members of the Chamber are welcome to witness the count. In the first election the requirement of the by-laws for a member to pay a portion of his dues before being entitled to vote will not be enforced, as the campaign executive committee does not desire to limit the powers of the

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is used in mailing the ballots, each member being given a number as the ballot is checked out from the office. If a member calls the office and states that he has not received a ballot, the records will show whether one has been mailed to him, and a new number can be given which cancels the old. There must be some means of identifying whether a returned ballot is official or not. A private envelope would destroy the secrecy of the voting. When the official numbered envelope is returned to the office, the number is checked off and the sealed envelope containing the ballot is deposited in the ballot box. The ballot box will not be opened until the count takes place Monday night.

Sciotoville And Wheelersburg

The Second Number of the Methodist and Christian Sunday School Lyceum Course will be given tonight, beginning at 7:30 o'clock in the Methodist church. Miss Elizabeth Wetzel, known as "The Sunshine Recitalist," will be here for the evening. All not having season tickets, who want a single ticket may get them at the door. Alvin Woods of Fifth street, who is ill with typhoid fever remains about the same. Mrs. Joseph Orthmeier and wife, daughter, Mary Catherine, of Main street, were visiting friends and relatives in the city today. Mrs. Calvin Stiles who was operated on at Hempstead hospital a few weeks ago, is getting along nicely. Stimmet Jenkins, formerly of Scioto county arrived here last week from Butte, Mont., where he has been for a number of years. He will remain here for some time with his brother, Jos. Jenkins of Market street. Mrs. Wilford Bailey of Center street and Mrs. Adolph Rehs of Main street, spent Thursday last shopping in Cincinnati. Miss Nellie Griver of Ironton, was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Griver of Main street. Section One and Two of the Ladies' Union of the Christian church will hold an all day meeting Thursday in the church basement. The Glee Club of the local High School will give a musical Friday and Saturday evenings of this week in the High School auditorium. Miss Gertrude Schmidt and Ida Davis, of Portsmouth, and Miss Helen Page,



local teachers, are directing the pupils for the music which promises to be an up to date affair. Thomas McCormick of Center street has returned home after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McCormick of Garrison, Ky. Class No. 11, taught by Mrs. Chas. Rehnard and the young men's class taught by Nicholas Holder of the Christian church will enjoy a passing party in the church basement Thursday evening. Mrs. Clara Snyder of City View was the guest Sunday of her sister, Mrs. Adolph Rehs of Main street. Mrs. Robert Sloan of Jackson street who has been ill for some time with complications remains about the same. Work on the new Christian church parsonage being built on Third street is progressing nicely under Contractors Laylow and Jones.

WHEELERSBURG

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Koch. Mr. and Mrs. Philip Pfarr will entertain the United Workers' Class at their home home Friday evening. Mrs. J. M. Hudson was the dinner

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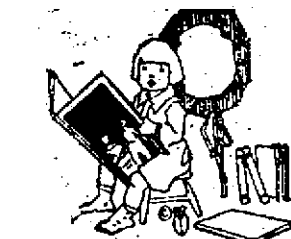
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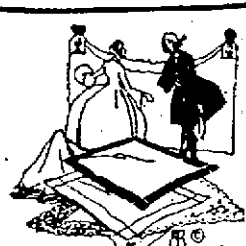
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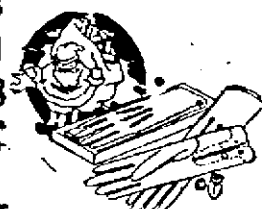
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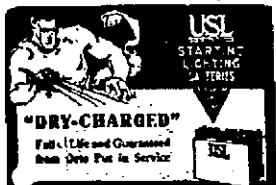
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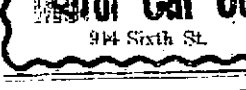
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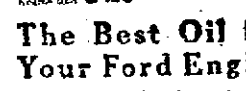
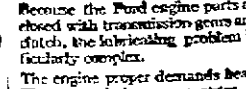
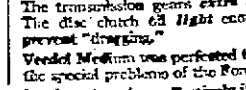
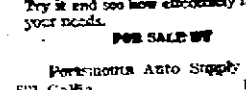
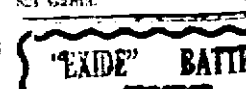
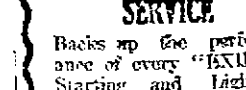
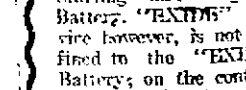
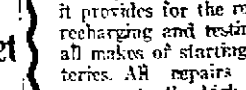
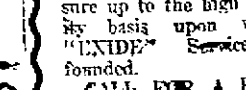
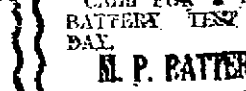
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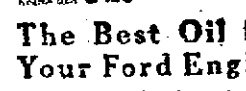
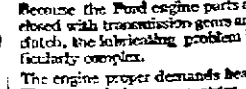
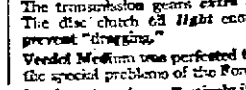
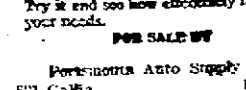
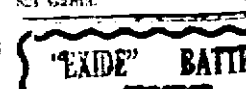
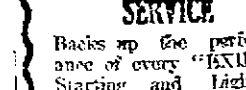
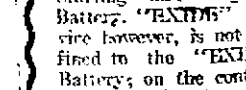
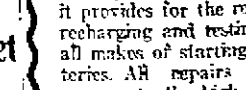
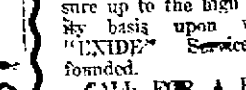
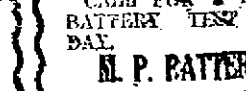
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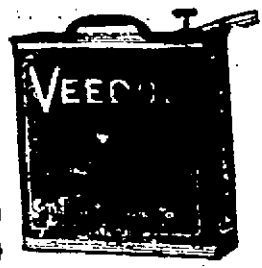
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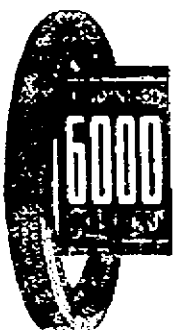
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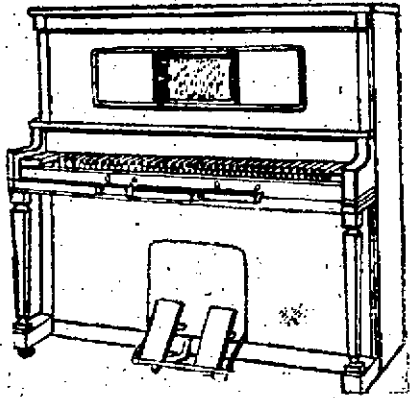
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MEN'S BIBLE CLASSES WILL MEET

Tomorrow night the first mass meeting of the Federated Men's Bible Class will be held in the basement of Second Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock. Seven hundred men are expected to attend this big meeting. The first called by the new Movement to have the men meet once each month to get acquainted and spread good fellowship spirit.

C. M. Howland, president of the Movement, is confident that the hopes of the directors will be realized with a big number attending tomorrow night's meeting.

A splendid program has been prepared, one that should appeal to all men. Three five minute talks are to be made by Orla E. Ricker, of Bigelow, R. C. Meeks, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and O. R. Stone, field secretary of the American City Bureau. "Possibilities of the Federated Men's Bible Class Movement," is the subject on which Mr. Ricker will talk. R. C. Meeks will have for his subject, "The Relation of the Men's Bible Class to Portsmouth and the World."

Mr. Stone made arrangements to have a Chamber of Commerce meeting tomorrow night when he learned of the big Bible Class Movement. Prof. J. H. Finney will give "The Lessonette," a ten minute discussion of the next Sunday's lesson. There will also be plenty of music, with J. Adam Burkel heading the music committee, a splendid musical program can be counted upon. L. W. Hagdon will lead the singing. He will be assisted by Prof. John Weaver, Albert Marting and T. Edwards.

An added feature to this program will be the setting up exercises. Ten minutes will be devoted to this exercise which will be in charge of Erna Williams, an able instructor.

The First Christian church band is to lead the way to the church with a hundred men in line. The band will go down Third to Washington, north on Washington to Fifth, east on Fifth to Chillicothe, north on Chillicothe to Seventh, east on Seventh to Gallia, south on Gay to Gallia, east on Gallia to Waller and north on Waller to the church.

The various schools will fall in line as the band passes their church. First Presbyterian and First Evangelical will fall in at Third and Washington. All East End Bible Classes will fall in line at Gallia and Waller streets.

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SHOT FROM ANNUEN
CLEVELAND—While taking burglar suspect to police station, Patrolman Robert L. Sackett was fired on from ambush and killed.

SHOOT BROTHER-IN-LAW
CLEVELAND—While cleaning rifle supposed to be empty, Patrolman Arthur Snow accidentally shot and killed his brother-in-law, Louis Blumenthal, 27.

Meet me at X's Football, 12-17

He Gets One More Guess

The Columbus Dispatch says: Well, we see where Billy Southworth, whom some leading base ball expert from the vicinity of Ellis Island last spring declared a 'bark in the pan, bat's 200 on the season.

INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mrs. S. S. Maguet, of 1513 Franklin avenue, suffered a broken left collarbone Sunday afternoon in an automobile accident on the West Side.

The accident happened about three o'clock just this side of Nashtown. There were five passengers in the Ford touring car, in which Mrs. Maguet was riding. The machine was on the right side of the road when another machine came from the rear and tried to pass the Maguet car on the right side. This crowded the Maguet car and it was sent into a ditch at the side of the road, the five passengers being thrown in a heap in the car as the side curtains were on. In the mixing Mrs. Maguet suffered the injury to her collar bone. The other car was a Mitchell touring car and contained four young men and two girls. The machine stopped, one young man came back to see if any one was killed or seriously injured, went back to his machine and took the rear license tag off and came onto the city without his identity being learned.

The Maguet car was pushed back onto the road and the party came to the city, where Mrs. Maguet's injury was attended. The Maguet machine escaped with a badly damaged top.

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Robbed At Bremen

The frontman of local interest this morning said:

Will Blackburn, aged 15, son of W. B. Blackburn of Chaffins Mills, Scioto county and Dewey Maynard, aged 15 son of Richard Maynard of the same place, were held up and robbed of about \$40 near the Belmont mill about twelve o'clock last night.

The boys came in from Chaffins Mills on the D. T. & I. Saturday afternoon on their way to Williamson, W. Va., to work in the N. & W. shops and went to the N. & W. depot to take No. 4 late in the evening. While sitting in the depot three respectively dressed young men came in and struck up an acquaintance. They told the boys their train was an hour late and suggested they take a walk to "kill time." Unsuspecting of danger the two country boys agreed and all walked out to Belmont and down that street almost to the Storms Creek bridge. Here one of the young men said, "I guess we've gone far enough" and while one of them drew a gun and another a knife the third went through the clothes of the victims and took everything except 10 cents which Maynard had in change.

After the holding the three highwaymen went out Vesuvius street while their victims started to hunt the police. They encountered Willard Mandle and the police were soon searching for the criminals but up to a late hour last night no trace of them had been found.

The youthful victims of the holdup remained at the police station last night to identify any suspects who might be arrested, expecting to go by traction this morning to Wheelersburg and from there walk to their homes.

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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Changes at
the close of the day's trading in
the stock market.

Contributed largely to the active and
strong opening of today's stock mar-
ket. Oils, motors, shippers and sugar
added 1 to 5 points to last week's final
quotations and several of the steels
and equipments were higher, though
making less extensive gains. Changes
among rails were made in small de-
grees. The advance became more gen-
eral in the first half hour.

Food shares dominated the list for
a time, sugars extending last week's
gains by 1 to 5 points. Oils, motors
and shippers also registered further
improvement with steels, textiles,
tobacco and miscellaneous specialties.
Rails also displayed reactionary ten-
dencies.

The closing was firm. Price tenden-
cies were mainly higher in today's
restricted market. Oils, steels, sugars
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moderate advance. Sales approximat-
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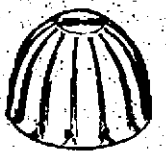
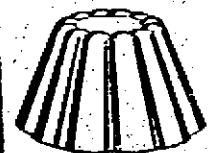
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This Jiffy Measuring Cup is free to users of Jiffy-Jell. Just send us the end labels from two Jiffy-Jell packages—the labels naming the flavor—and we will mail the cup.

This aluminum cup holds exactly one-half pint. Fill twice with boiling water to dissolve one package Jiffy-Jell. It also holds exactly one cup, as called for in many recipes. Ordinary cups so vary in size that many recipes are spoiled. So this exact cup, with markings showing fractions of a cup, is essential in every home.

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We make these offers to show more women what Jiffy-Jell means to them.

Jiffy-Jell differs vastly from other quick gelatine desserts. Each package contains a bottle of condensed fruit juice.

We crush the fruit, condense the juice, and bring you real fruit in abundance in these Jiffy-Jell desserts.

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And they are rich in fruit. Half a pineapple, for instance, is used to flavor one Jiffy-Jell dessert. Then almost a whole lemon is used to acidulate the mixture.

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Jiffy-Jell

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It is also quick. Simply add boiling water, as directed on package, then the fruit-juice flavor from the vial, and let cool.

Millions are using these quick, economical fruit desserts, and no home now should miss them.

Try These Flavors

Try Loganberry and Pineapple for desserts. Try Lime-fruit flavor. It makes a tart, green salad jelly. Mix in your salad before cooling. Or mix in meat scraps and make an appetizing meat loaf.

Try Mint flavor. It makes a zesty mint jelly to serve with meats or as a side dish.

Try them now. Then send us the end labels which mention the flavor, and get the Jiffy Cup and any of our molds. See the coupon. Cut it out so you won't forget.



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The labels called for are the end labels—the one on each package which mentions the flavor. Send the coupon with the labels called for and check the molds you want.

...Jiffy Measuring Cup (2 labels).
...Set of Six Individual Molds, as pictured (5 labels).

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I enclose ... labels as called for.
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MISS DOLLY WISE

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Miss Dolly Wise—I am coming to you for a little information. I have written a story and three small plays and would like to get a copyright but I don't know where to get it. Will you please send me the address. Also does it cost anything and will you give me the address of a firm that buys stories and plays.

Write to the Chicago Short Story Syndicate or send your stories to standard magazines until you find one which accepts your style story. That would be better than having a copyright made of a story that may never be accepted.

Dear Miss Wise—I am 18 years old. My husband and I have been having trouble and his mother seems to cause you. She tells him she is old and life has dealt harshly with her perhaps. Admire your husband for loving her so much. Keep different. Do you think he really loves you little family together and don't me?

There is a period of adjustment at the beginning of every married life and in most cases it is the wife who must display the tact, the understanding, the sacrifice in order to guide the little unit past the rocks. Now if you find your husband-in-law is to blame for your husband's lack of attention then cultivate the mother-in-law. Be kind to her, her loss was your gain, so you can afford to be magnanimous. Do little things to please her. Pay no attention to her treatment and study the ways in which to please her. Life is too short and happiness too necessary to allow anyone to vanquish you. You are young and happy and true things and he believes her. We loved each other dearly at first and I

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3051. This is a good model for women, velvet, cheviot and tweed mixtures, also for plush corduroy and their also fabric. The fronts may be turned back in low outline, or closed to the neck edge with the collar rolled up.

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fall down on your talk of creating your own happiness.

Dear Dolly Wise—My little girl has a big doll and the rubber that holds its legs and arms and head on the body is broken. What I want to know is if there are any places I could get the round rubber to fix it. S. O. B.

You could get round corset rubber and string it yourself I believe. If not go to the toy department in any store and ask them to fix the doll. You had better do it as early as possible to avoid the Christmas rush.

Dear Miss Wise—I intend to give a small informal party in the near future and I am at a loss what games to play. I have tried several books, but could not find anything suitable. W.

It is quite impossible for me to answer a question like yours, since there is not space for me to describe games. My ideas have come from books and magazines. If I were you I would look through back numbers of the various women's magazines.

Dear Miss Wise—Two years ago I met a young man I loved at first sight. I did not have the pleasure of his company, as he volunteered for service in France, where he spent eighteen months. While he was in camp we corresponded in a friendly way. After he returned from France I met him at a party again and from that time on we were together frequently. He works in another town. About four weeks ago we quarrelled because of another girl in the town in which he works.

A few days ago I received a letter from him asking me to be sorry for the way I acted. I really am sorry, but don't think I should tell him. Or should I? How can I win him back and not compromise myself?

BILLY.

Probably the boy wants to be friendly and tried to put humor into his letter. I should take it that way if I were you. Answer his letter and tell him that you have forgotten the incident. Do not apologize or mention the subject at any length. Never show jealousy of the girl again.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Selby will entertain the Portsmouth Reading Club tonight in their home on Fourth street.

The Judge Blair Bible Class of the Second Presbyterian church will meet this evening at the home of Judge and Mrs. A. Z. Blair, 703 Washington street.

The assistant hostesses will include Mrs. Fred Davis, Mrs. J. O. Leeds, Mrs. L. G. Locke, Mrs. H. B. Kahmer, Mrs. David Jones, Mrs. L. Donald, Mrs. Dudley Molster, Miss Clara Herms, Miss Clara Campbell and Miss Mabel Connell.

After spending the week-end here and taking prominent part in the Ellis memorial exercises, Nelson Weedon has returned to his home in Ashland.

Meet me at Nye's Fountain. 12-11



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No more back breaking drudgery over a rubbing board now. Grandma's Powdered Soap puts an end to all of that. It enables you to do the washing in much less time than you have been accustomed to take.

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For rich creamy cereal, stir one cup of Quickmush into two cups of cold water, salted to taste. Boil ten minutes and serve piping hot with cream and sugar.

One cupful of Quickmush makes enough cereal for five people.

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The members of the Opportunity Auxiliary of the Second Presbyterian church are asked to meet this evening at 7:15 at the church.

The members of the Second Street Whist Club will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Watkins, 1710 Timmons avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kingery of Columbus are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill, 1414 High street.

Miss Lenora McNamara, who is employed in the adjutant general's office at Washington, D. C., is here to spend the holidays with her mother, Mrs. Mary McNamara of Tenth street.

Mrs. Charles Uhl of Eighth street, who has been visiting with her son, Harry Uhl, at Schenectady, N. Y., will return home during this week.

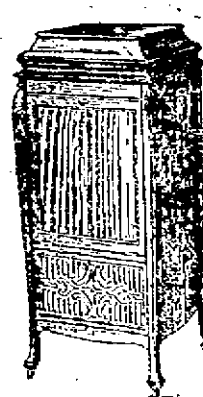
Mrs. N. Snow will entertain the U. T. Kensington on Wednesday afternoon at her home, 717 Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Copelan have returned from a month's visit in Washington and New York.

On their return from New York they stopped at Washington, where they met Mrs. B. Joseph and Mrs. S. Nash, who continued the trip with them to Portsmouth. Mrs. Joseph and Mrs. Nash will remain here for a few days as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Copelan.

Mrs. Ollie Peel and son, Paul of Fifth street, have returned from a five days' stay in Cincinnati, during which Mrs. Peel consulted Dr. Robert Sattler for new lenses for her glasses.

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PRICE ONE CENT

ALLIES MODIFY PROTOCOL

Objectionable Features Are Stricken Out

PARIS, Dec. 8.—The allies have consented to modify some of the terms of the protocol putting the peace treaty into effect to which Germany has made objection. The clause providing for indemnity for the destruction of the German fleet at Scapa Flow has been modified so as to refer to The Hague tribunal the question whether the delivery of the tonnage demanded will cripple Germany, it is understood. The understanding also is that the other features of the protocol most objectionable to the Germans have been eliminated. It is expected that the German plenipotentiaries will sign the protocol, without much further delay. The final paragraph in the protocol providing that even after the peace treaty has gone into effect, the allies might use military measures of coercion to ensure the execution of the treaty's terms, has been eliminated entirely, as also has the clause relating to the evacuation of the Baltic provinces by German troops.

NOT PREPARING EXPEDITION

ROME, Sunday, Dec. 7.—(By the Associated Press)—Gabriele D'Annunzio assured the correspondent today that he was not preparing an expedition against Spalato or Taurin. He gave his word of honor that this statement was true.

OPENING STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Changes in the coal situation and Mexican affairs contributed largely to the active and strong opening of today's stock market. Oils, metals, shippings and sugar added 1 to 5 points to last week's final quotations and several of the steel and equipment were higher, though making less extensive gains. Changes among rails were made in small dealings. The advance feature, more general in the first half hour.

WEATHER

OHIO—Cloudy and colder tonight; Tuesday snow.

PALMER CONFIDENT END OF COAL STRIKE NEAR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Hope for the settlement tomorrow afternoon of the "controversy between the miners, the operators and the government," was expressed in a formal statement issued today at the White House.

The statement follows:
"It is hoped that there will be a settlement on Tuesday afternoon of the controversy between the miners, the operators and the government through the acceptance by the miners of the plan for a definite settlement proposed by the president, which proposal was submitted to Acting President Leavitt of the miners, by Attorney General Palmer Saturday night."

The utmost secrecy still surrounded the president's proposal and Secretary Tamm and other officials refused to supplement the White House statement. It was learned, however, that the proposal made to the miners was from the president himself and was in the form of a memorandum written by him.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 8.—The public, those most concerned, still in the dark today as to the government's latest move to settle the bituminous coal miners' strike. Not a hint of the nature of the proposals had been made public either by the miners or by officials, but comfort was taken in the statement by Attorney General Palmer: "It might be that he was quite sure the end of the strike was in sight."

The statement was made by Mr. Palmer just before he boarded a train for Indianapolis, where late today he will confer with Judge Anderson, of the federal district court, relative to the injunction proceedings involving mine union officials.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—The proposal presented to John L. Lewis, acting president and William Green, secretary of the United Mine Workers of America, by President Wilson and Attorney General Palmer in Washington included a fourteen percent wage advance to miners and the appointment of a commission to study wages, profits and all conditions surrounding the industry upon resumption of work by the mine workers, according to private advice to the national capital, received by Dr. F. C. Hammond, secretary of the Illinois Coal Operators' Association, today.

Dr. Hammond declared that his information indicated that the strike would be settled by Tuesday or Wednesday and that the miners would be back at work not later than Friday at least in Illinois.

The terms of the proposal as interpreted by Dr. Hammond from the advice he received indicated that they were similar to the plan previously put forward by Fuel Administrator Garfield, and that they contained certain details of settlement that would not be made public until after consideration of them by the miners' executive board in Indianapolis on Tuesday.

DELAY CONVENING OF FEDERAL JURY

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Dec. 8.—The federal grand jury, summoned by United States District Judge A. B. Anderson to investigate alleged violations of the Lever act and anti-trust laws by operators, miners and coal dealers in connection with the bituminous coal strike, will not be empaneled today. United States District Attorney L. E. Stack announced today. He said this step had been postponed until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

While announcing that the convening of the grand jury had been postponed until tomorrow, Mr. Stack would not say that the jury would be empaneled at that time. It was indicated that the calling together of the investigators would depend upon conferences today with Attorney General Palmer and others, who were to arrive here from Washington about noon.

WIRE FLASHES

RIOTS IN ITALY

ROME—Eight persons killed and 32 wounded as a result of rioting Wednesday and Thursday at Mantua.

NITRO PLANT SOLD

WASHINGTON—Government sells Nitro, W. Va., explosive plant to Charleston industrial corporation for \$8,551,000.

GENERAL'S WIDOW DIES

NEW YORK—Senora Felipe Angeles, widow of General Angeles, recently executed by Carranza troops, died Sunday.

MINISTER'S CONVICTION UPHOLD

SEOUL, KOREA—Supreme court confirms decision of lower court on conviction of Rev. Eli Miller Meary, Mansfield charged with sheltering Korean agitators during recent revolt.

POLICEMEN ACCUSED

FRANKLIN, LA.—Thirteen policemen, members of posse, charged with complicity in the murder of four labor leaders in Bogalusa, November 22, arrested.

MINISTER KILLED

BALTIMORE—Rev. William H. Dell killed when New York Washington express hit automobile.

AIRPLANE KILLS TWO

CHATTANOOGA—Mrs. Malissa Myers and Lena Shell killed several injured when airplane at Mare flying field crashed into crowd.

BANK OFFICIAL DIES

CLEVELAND—Lyman M. Broadway, vice-president Federal Reserve Bank, fourth district, died from heart trouble.

PROCTOR TO HEAD CAMPAIGN

CINCINNATI—Col. William Cooper Proctor announces acceptance chairmanship of Leonard Wood, national campaign committee.

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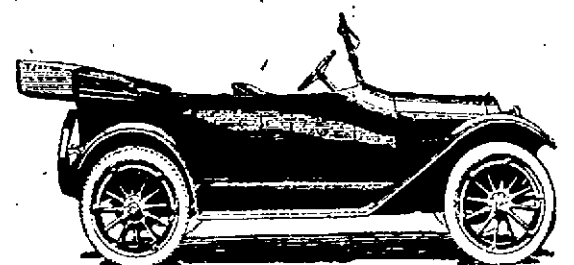
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TIGERS WILL NOT TRAIN ON THE COAST

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 8.—The Detroit club of the American League will do its spring training at Mazon, Ill., again this coming year, it is announced by President Frank J. Lewis.

There had been reports to the effect that the Tigers might be taken to the Pacific coast, but President Lewis has definitely denied these, declaring that although major league clubs have drawn well on the coast, the financial income of the return trip is likely to prove uncertain because of weather conditions.

Furthermore, President Lewis has promised another tour with the Hoosiers next spring and it is anticipated that these two clubs will begin their homeward march from the Georgia training grounds with much the same schedule followed last year. It is understood the Detroit club was invited to tour with the champion Cincinnati Nationals next spring.

NOW SPEAKING OF FLIVVERS IN FISTIC CIRCLES WE REFER TO JOE BECKETT

The result of the Beckett-Carpenter international glove contest in London was no great surprise to the sporting fraternity, as Beckett was regarded as one of the poorest exponents that ever held the championship of England. That he tested only one round against a clever man like Carpenter was also to be expected. It took Beckett 17 rounds to knock out Eddie McGorty, the American middleweight, after Ed was all in and had practically retired from the boxing game.

Carpenter is the most beloved boxer that ever represented France in the prize ring. He won several medals during the five years he was in the way and also lost thousands of dollars worth of personal property and money which the Germans took away from him when they were stealing everything they could lay their hands on in France.

Carpenter is a well-developed young man and is very temperamental. Like James J. Corbett and Ed McGorty, he is as quick as a flash and has a knockout in either hand. Carpenter's prize ring was one of the quickest on record—one minute and fourteen seconds. In fact it is the shortest on record in the English prize ring.

A majority of the American sports passed up Beckett when he refused to face Fred Fulton in the ring. Beckett is a slow thinker, and equally slow in delivering his punches. About the only thing that could be said in his favor was that he was strong as an ox and could strike a hard blow.

BOWLING

SPECIAL MATCH GAME

In a special match game rolled at the Pennant alley, the Pennant Fire (Pennant) bowlers' Specials to the tune of 215 pins. The Specials were outplayed at every angle. Schultz was high man for the winners, with 225, while Fullis hit the wood for 202 pins. Beckett was high man for the losers, with a total of 501 pins.

Highman Specials	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	Total
Beckett	155	182	157	150	141	168	158	153	153	153	1531
Fullis	141	168	157	150	141	168	158	153	153	153	1531
Schultz	141	168	157	150	141	168	158	153	153	153	1531
Smith	141	168	157	150	141	168	158	153	153	153	1531
Blind	141	168	157	150	141	168	158	153	153	153	1531
Total	725	770	631	2720							

Pennant Five	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	Total
Fullis	151	150	177	148	151	141	141	141	141	141	1411
Fullis	151	150	177	148	151	141	141	141	141	141	1411
Schultz	148	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	1501
Schultz	148	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	1501
Blind	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	125	1251
Total	799	790	772	2271							

Some Distances.
Hewitt—Times have changed.
Jewett—Yes, it is a long way from grandfather's clock to a wrist watch.

PENNY ANTE



WANT CHIC AND PALS TO SPEND MONTH WITH THE COWBOYS

Captain "Chic" Harley at Ohio State University has been the receiver of many congratulatory letters ever since the Illinois game on his great work at Ohio State. He received one Saturday which appeared to the modest Buckeye star just a little more than the others.

It came all the way from Sheridan, Wyoming, and the writer asked "Chic" to allow him to show his appreciation which ran like this: "Chic" during the next summer "Chic" should bring "Mr. Wilco and the whole darn football team" put there to Wyoming and spend a month's vacation on the plains as the guests of several cowboys in that vicinity who have been following Scarlet and Gray football matters ever since "Chic" beat Illinois in 1916. "We have some fine horses here, good hunting and fishing, and these cowboys are real fellows," was one sentence. "Sure would be great," mused "Chic" after pondering a few moments.

IS FOOTBALL PROFITABLE? READ THIS

IOWA CITY, IOWA, Dec. 8.—The financial success of an extraordinary degree was the Iowa University season of 1919. The annual meeting of the board, to be held soon, probably will show nearly \$300,000 profits, to be applied on a long-time debt, caused by deficits in other branches of athletic activity. The Hawks received the most from Ames (\$7,500), while Chicago was second, paying \$5,000. Averages were lowered by Illinois, Northwestern and Nebraska. It is possible that season's average will be \$5,000 a game.

Harley May Play Baseball

Chic Harley, who this season has played brilliantly on the gridiron for the Ohio State College, may be induced to play professional baseball next summer. Several clubs including the St. Louis Browns, are after him. President Joe Tinker of the Cubs is club of the American Association, is ready to offer the star an attractive contract. The Akron club of the International League is also angling for his services. Last summer Harley played in the outfield on the Ohio State baseball team and was one of the best players representing the college.

So Long Speedway

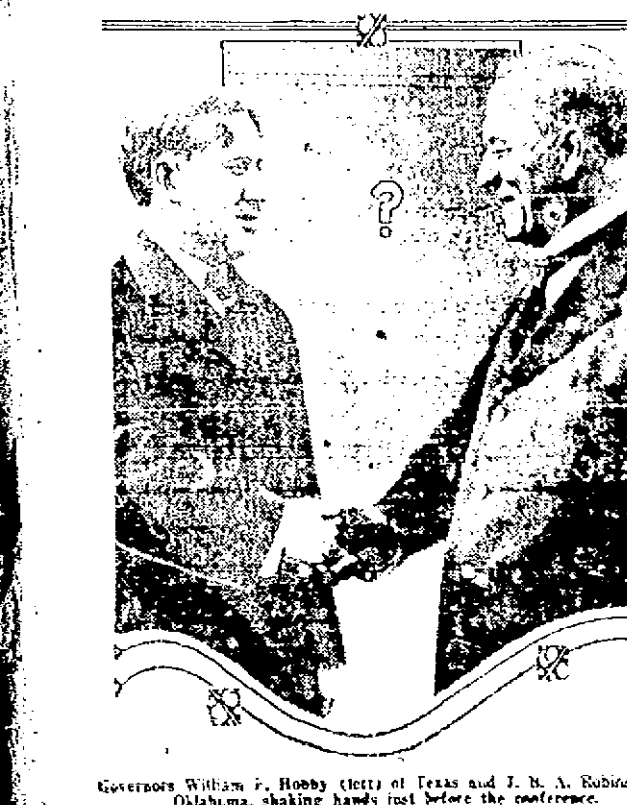
NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Demolition crews have been contested, was begun of the Sheephead Bay Speedway, on yesterday. The property will be all which many international automobile-racing building lots.

Great Year For Wittenberg

In rounding up the scoring totals of the Ohio conference football eleven for the season just closed, it is found that Wittenberg was the heaviest scoring team in the conference.

The Luth-rans made 252 points and had 21 scored against them. The Luth-rans were equalled before when this team came Ohio U. Its worst defeat of the season, and did the same thing to games and had 257 points scored on it.

TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA GOVERNORS TRY VAINLY TO SETTLE BOUNDARY DISPUTE



Governors William P. Hobby (left) of Texas and J. M. A. Robinson of Oklahoma, shaking hands just before the conference.

American Navy Second Only To Great Britain And Pressing Forward

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—Incomparably stronger and more efficient than ever before, the American navy emerged from the war "second only to that of Great Britain and far in advance of any other foreign navy in ships, in men, and every element of strength," Secretary Daniels declared today in his annual report.

With eighteen capital ships—twelve superdreadnaughts and six giant battle cruisers—under construction, all representing the last word in naval construction, and several superior to any fighting vessels now in commission, the navy is "pressing forward to greater heights," Mr. Daniels said.

Recommendations by the secretary for the betterment of the service included:

- Extension of the course at the Naval Academy to five years so the midshipman may spend one year afloat as enlisted man.
- Immediate enlargement of the naval establishment on the Pacific coast to take care of the new Pacific fleet.
- Temporary increases in pay of officers and enlisted men and increases in amounts allowed for commutation of quarters and other allowances.
- Government control of wireless communication.
- Expansion of the naval air service and continuation of the present policy of a separate air service for the navy.
- Construction of new buildings, including a new Memorial chapel at the Naval Academy.

Change of the names of the Bureau of Navigation and Steam Engineering to Personnel and Engineering Bureau, respectively.

The actual cost of the navy to the nation during the war was placed by the secretary at \$2,982,000,000. During the next fiscal year, he said, the navy's needs will be approximately \$575,131,251, or approximately \$40,000,000 less than the sum asked for during the present fiscal year.

Commenting on the construction record during the war, the secretary said that during the twelve months ended last October 1, 159 vessels of all classes were completed for the navy. These included 103 destroyers, 1 battleship, 32 submarines and 52 flying boats. A world record for destroyer construction was made, the secretary said, in the building of the Reid at Squantum, Mass., in 45 working days.

The navy has been demobilized from a war-time strength of more than 500,000 officers and men to 322,000 of whom 5,000 are reserves, the report said, and enlisted men are badly needed to man the greatly increased peacetime establishment.

Splendid results have been accomplished by naval administration in the Virgin Islands, Haiti, San Domingo, Samoa, and Guam, Secretary Daniels declared, particularly along sanitary lines, and in the quelling of banditry and lawlessness and the improvement of financial conditions.

Increasingly Dangerous Radical Activities Source Of Worry To Justice Dept.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The Department of Justice is confronted with "increasingly dangerous radical activities," Attorney General Palmer said in his annual report submitted today to Congress.

Mr. Palmer did NOT go into details as to "red" activities in general, but said that of the total of 257,215 index record cards, 71,000 identification records and 252,712 fingerprint records now in the department, some 20,000 represented data concerning "reds" and their work. He mentioned that the department had increased steadily its contributory sources of investigation, adding that this meant better facilities for running down persons whose lives bear marks of crime.

Mr. Palmer said that while other governments acquiesce during the past few years in the activities of their radicals, the United States has been forced to take a different line. The man who first taught a kangaroo to box and introduced him to a surprised world earned enough in a few years to become independently rich. Other pugilistic kangaroos commanded a weekly pay check that made an opera singer envious, but the erstwhile "fighting kangaroo" captured the public prizes.

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Nursing Sickly Plants.

Sickly plants, like sickly people, cannot stand extremes. Sickly pot plants may often be more quickly brought back to health by watering with very warm water only. Low vitality will not be raised through the use of chilly water or less than 110 degrees of temperature.

Advice Old but Still Good.

Cato recommended that the soil of a farm be good and fertile; also that there be plenty of laborers and that it be not far from a large town. He also recommended that it have sufficient means of transporting its produce, either by water or land. This advice, although 2,200 years old, still holds good.

Lightning Conductors.

The best conductors of lightning, placed in the order of conductivity, are metals, gas, coke, graphite, solutions of salts, acids and water. The best non-metallic conductors, ending with the most porous, are: a foot insulation, an India rubber, gutta-percha, dry air and gases, wood, china, silk, glass, wax, sulphur, resins and paraffin.

Wearing of Pearls.

It is a well-established fact that the more pearls are worn, particularly next to the skin, the more they increase in beauty and value. If worn for any considerable length of time their luster becomes dimmed.

Major Leagues Want Longer Schedules

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Next week at the Waldorf Astoria on Tuesday, the American League meeting, called for both New York and Chicago, probably will convene on Wednesday. The annual winter meetings of both leagues and place of the meeting will be decided on a decision in the injunction suit now pending. The decision may be handed down today.

President John Heydler and his National League owners will get together. The annual pow-wow of the National League will be altogether peaceful and confined to routine business. President Heydler said today that nothing out of the ordinary is on his slate. That of the National League will go on record for a return to the 154-game schedule next season is a certainty. The 149-game season of 1919 was considered altogether too short. The American Leaguers, when they get around to it, will also adopt the long schedule.

CUBS SIGN BEWISKERED PITCHER; RAISE QUERY, "WHY ARE BEARDS TAROO IN SPORT?"



Try It On Washboard

They are singing a new song up at Ohio State. It is entitled, "It is a Devil of a Long Time To Wait Twelve Months To Average Eight Minsley Seconds."

The Women of Korea.

In Korea women occupy a place in society which has no parallel elsewhere in the Orient. They are both better and worse off than in China or India or Japan—better off because there are more fields open to them, worse because they are overworked, often ill-treated, and until recently were actually enslaved.

Persian Cookery.

Cookery among the well-to-do classes in Persia is extravagant—partly because they are lavishly hospitable, partly because all house servants are fed from the leftovers of the master's table. Tiny chickens, quails, pheasants, doves and young partridges are lambasted hot, on the spit, to each guest.

Give Little Folks Allowance.

Instead of giving the little folk money in haphazard fashion and when they tease for it, let them have a stated sum each week, and then make upon their keeping an account of what is done with every penny of it.—Carl Marshall in the Thrift Magazine.

Powerful Dam.

By raising eight and a half feet the dam which impounds water for Bonyay its capacity was increased 10,000,000 gallons.

Has Won the Right.

A mother of my acquaintance suggested to her five-year-old daughter that she pray for a baby sister or brother. Time passed and the five-year-old was rewarded for her prayer, and when the question of a name arose, the little miss demanded the right to name the baby, saying: "I'll name that baby; I did the praying!"

American Farmer Led The World In Individual Production Of Crops

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The American farmer leads the world in individual production of crops, Secretary of Agriculture Charles D. Ickes said today in his annual report to Congress. While countries such as India, China, and Japan produce large quantities of crops, the American farmer produces more than any other individual in the world.

The report states that the American farmer produced more than 100 million bushels of wheat in 1919, more than any other individual in the world. The report also states that the American farmer produced more than 100 million bushels of corn in 1919, more than any other individual in the world.

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WHEN EXTREMES MEET

MONSIEUR Georges Carpentier, a French bull, fresh from the trenches, having instantly and inconspicuously vanquished that bloomer, Joe Beckett, an English champion, has now signed to meet Jack Dempsey, pure-bred American, because his folks are all Irish.

That raises to interesting and refreshing reflections. The early art, so called, is popularly held to hold its base, if not its origin in England, though it is clear the Welsh make a better showing in the ring. From England the game spread to this country and the Irish became so numerous and conspicuous in it, that it has rather fixed itself in the public mind that a prize-fighter is to have some of sweet Erin's blood in him or he could never amount to much with his fists. As against this there was universal contempt in the circles devoted to the sport that a Frenchman could fight in the ring, and popular opinion was all to the same trend. Carpentier dispenses this estimate by his disposal in the time of the fellow that disputed with Dempsey, the title of world's champion. It is not the first time he has done it either. He was rising rapidly as a shining luminary in the pugilistic firmament when he quit to go to the front for his beloved France.

His battle with Dempsey, to take place about next June, will be an event that will absorb two continents, yes, it might be said, for Australia sits back for no one when it comes to this particular pastime. One swallow does not make a summer, no more does one fighter of class distinguish a nation for its pugilistic prowess, but how Carpentier acquires himself in combat with the redoubtable Jack Dempsey will go either to make or mar the reputation of France in something some people think isn't real nice. We might as well confess right here that we are a trifle uneasy as to the outcome. Monsieur Georges is better than a bear cat, but we are not going to claim any kin to him because our grandmother was a Carpentier and we don't wish him to win either, because when it comes to fighting we feel all Irish.

In the Labor World the accusation has been made that much of the riot activity against the Negro has been due to the color introduction into industrial operations in the North.

What you do not spend you may spend another day; what you spend is gone but offends the regret does not go with it.

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MAINTAINING ITS CHARACTER

It is altogether right and proper that Prosecuting Attorney Sheppard should have so able and experienced an advocate as ex-Judge D. E. Corn to assist him in the prosecution of former city employees, indicted for embezzlement of public funds.

By this prosecution Mr. Sheppard is placed in a peculiarly embarrassing position since he was director of safety when the alleged acts of embezzlement occurred and as such had the accused under his immediate supervision and in a manner was responsible for their conduct.

Thus whether guilty or not if they should be acquitted with him solely attempting to convict them, there would arise, at least to some extent, a belief that there was no sincere effort to enforce justice against them.

Our courts are the resort for the final determination of right. It is in the highest degree vitally necessary that their integrity should be unshaken, but that they be conducted in all things above suspicion, so that confidence in them may be maintained. It is essential too that the official, who is specially charged with enforcing the laws, through appeal to the functions of the court should not do anything, either actively or apparently, to cause any uneasiness and doubt as to his own honorable conduct.

We are sincerely gratified that Prosecuting Attorney Sheppard leaves no room for misgivings, in the matter at hand, that it will not be properly presented and tried.

BOTH FACT AND VIEW

A sack of 1,000 silver dollars delivered to a San Francisco bank has been in the vault of the sub-treasury since the day the coins were minted, Oct. 21, 1891. The bank figures that if the money had been drawing interest from the date it was coined the sack would by now be worth \$3,000 instead of \$1,000.

John McCormick, the famous tenor, is educating a Negro boy at Fisk University. It is said that later he is to train his voice because he feels confident that the young man will become a world-renowned singer. John McCormick has already shown his friendship for the Negro race by the generosity with which he has always helped along the fair of the Church of St. Benedict the Moor in New York City. Nearly third of the proceeds of that fair came for the past few years from the contribution donated by Mr. McCormick.

One loses nothing in the esteem of his employer or friends by being seen going in or coming out of a bank.

A man can borrow on his reputation as a saver, he cannot borrow on his reputation as a spender.

THE MARRIED AN AVERAGE MAN

Last night was one long joy of solid, dreamless sleep—the first I have known for weeks. Just before I put out my light I read Eric's letter again. It is curious how nearly a living thing a letter is. It bears the personality of its writer almost as vividly as the human form, certainly more warmly than a photograph. Yes—I read Eric's letter twice. Then suddenly in a flash of understanding, my vague impressions took form. I knew what Athena meant by "Eric's weakest link." It is his aimlessness. His un-Americanism.

When an American goes abroad it is this very quality that enchants—the un-Americanism of people and places. He thinks, just as I thought when I was on my vacation trip to England, "Oh, how heavenly it all is—these sweet, quaint villages, where nobody hurries or worries and where they take time to live!"

If the traveler is a woman, and some bit of sentimental adventure glorifies her journey, she throws herself into it with the abandon of the primitive feminine. A glamour is over all. A delicious, subtle sense of life and liberty. She does things she wouldn't do at home. She lives in a golden dream wherein the most commonplace act is transformed into romance.

She and the man go sailing, go walking, go swimming, go motoring. A picnic in the woods is a feast spread in Eden. A boat with pithed sails stained a rich brown has the edge of the world for its destination. A tramp in the forest of Fontainebleau is an excursion to Nirvana. The man himself, in his knickerbockers and rough boots, becomes Prince Charming, and she a happy ruling queen.

The world becomes suddenly crowded with wonderful things to do, mysterious to explore, thrilling to experience—and no Mrs. Grundy with her haunting code of "Don'ts" and "Musts" to chill the bubbling spirits.

This was drifting through my mind when I fell asleep. And when I opened my eyes this morning I took up the thread again and was trying to follow it to a conclusion when Athena came, rustling in with a handful of mail.

There was a letter from Jim which made me suddenly think of bread and butter and cold spring water contrasted with cakes and sweet champagne! And there was a note from Editor Lyach saying that three more of my "letters" had been printed and that a little story I wrote weeks ago would come out in the next number of the "Messenger."

I am too happy to keep still. I dragged Athena out for a five mile walk, and with part of my first story check we had luncheon at the swellest hotel here. I am in one of my sky-scouring moods. It's partly that I'm rested, partly the sparkling, cold, sweet ocean air. But it's mostly the triumphant chorus that my brain and my heart are singing, "We're speeding, we're speeding; our work is going fine!"

"Does journalism pay well?" I asked Athena.

"If you're thinking of Eric Sand's," she answered, "I should say it does not. But divide a bit care he, if you're thinking of yourself I phoebos you can make it pay and pay well."

Whether she meant it or not Athena put her finger on the "weak link"—Eric's don't-care-ness.

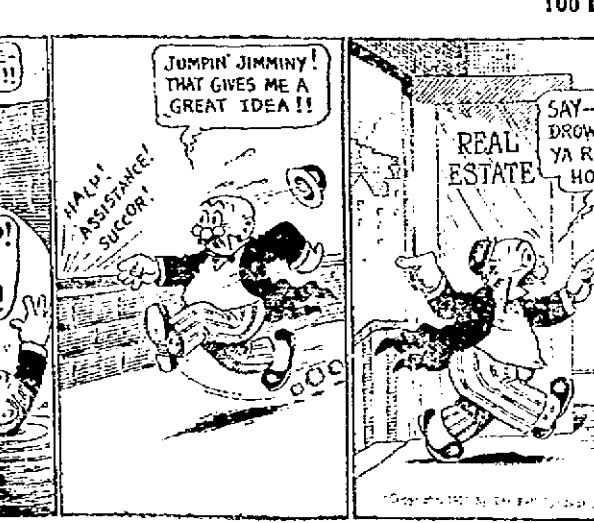
But when did a woman ever love a man less because of one little weak link in his character?

(To be continued.)

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New - York - Day - By - Day

BY
O. O. MCINTYRE

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—A page from the diary of a modern Samuel Pepys, the stuffed, white-eyed victim of the dark adulterers' drugging.

Up to times and we have a new journal, a most engaging fellow of the sea, who talks of nautical things, showing off before the white. To Charlie Felt, the artist, and heard some mighty noble Scotch tunes on a loggipie and came I. Marsson, newly home from Germany, and a man of mighty good reason and judgment.

This day I resolved to be more sparing of money, for bachelors my no getting for the month, and it does depress me infinitely. To my dentist who found no work to be done and I saw three Misses Hugsch, widow of Sir Robert, and a young maid in white of fairish beauty made bold to say she knew me, albeit she was wrong.

On the highway was Grandfather, who has a new great coat of noble weave and great checks, and I saw O. Skinner, the play actor, and his lady and they seemed matched mightily well. Great complaints do rise higher over the high prices and it is said nightly over the city that they will be even higher.

With my wife to do a turn about the reservoir and we discussed a neighbor's child who appears a drudge and a bit of great talents and beauty and it seems strange such things should be. In the evening to see the new musical play "Teece," which has the most beautiful music I have heard since the "Red Mill," I dare swear. To an up-to-date shop for some glasses of fruit juice, and no home and to bed in high good humor.

One may purchase almost any standard brand of liquor in bond, properly sealed and apparently unopened, in the places where the purchaser is known. But when he opens the bottle, he finds a horrible tasting concoction. The process consists in making a plug in the bottom of the bottle, emptying the pure stuff and substituting the horrible adulteration. The hole is sealed up and unless it is looked for it is never seen. The hole in the bottom is done by an electrical process. The adulterated goods is said to contain drugs, chief of which is laudanum, and while it has a full it is lethal in quality. New York does not see the hilarious drunk anymore. It

During the past week every large reached a price of \$150 a dozen. In the more exclusive centers, where people do not care what prices are, they have been selling for \$2 a dozen. It was almost impossible to get fresh eggs, and hotel guests, discouraged over trying to get them, went to the small towns around New York and bought them and then had them prepared by the hotel chefs. Incidently the hotels made a 25 cent service charge for boiling all eggs brought in by guests. There is no way of leaving them. If they do not get you one way they will another. One of the more recent gouges is the charge for stationery. In many of the large hotels a charge of 25 cents is made for a few envelopes and a few sheets of writing paper.

WHO'S WHO IN THE DAYS NEWS

COL. H. L. GILCHRIST
As chief of the American typhus expedition to Poland, Col. H. L. Gilchrist of the U. S. Army has a big job. Helping him with this work are 100 American soldiers and twenty-two officers, heard by the government.

Colonel Gilchrist was in the first unit of the American expeditionary force to reach England, arriving in England with the Lakeside hospital unit from Cleveland, Ohio, in May 1917. Later he was transferred to the chemical warfare service. At the time the armistice was signed he had the tremendous job on hand of directing the disarming of the entire American expeditionary force, 97 per cent of which had cooties.

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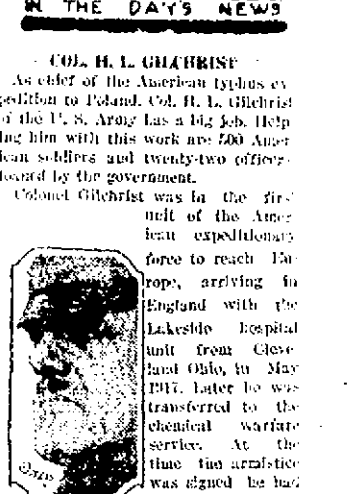
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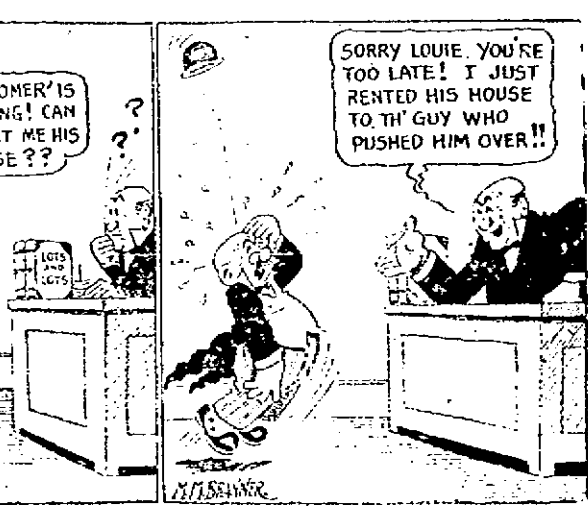
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